

## **Delaware Board of Well Drillers Meeting Minutes of June 12, 2018**

Mike Daisey called the meeting to order at 9:38 AM on June 12, 2018, in DNREC conference room B228. Members in attendance: Alan Pongratz, Mike Kelley, Melvyn Miller, Eric Sackett, Mike Daisey, and Steve McCreary. Wes Burris, from Smyrna Well Service, was also present. A motion was made by Eric Sackett, seconded by Melvyn Miller, and carried with no opposition, to accept the May 8, 2018, minutes.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- **The Board reviewed and discussed the following applications for new license with recommendations as follows:**
  - Danny Danchik, Jr., from AC Schultes of Maryland, reapplied for a general well driller license. A motion was made by Melvyn Miller and seconded by Eric Sackett to approve the application.
  - Brian Hynes, from John D Hynes & Associates, applied for a geotechnical well driller license. Question #9 on the application does not contain the required information. A motion was made by Mike Kelley and seconded by Eric Sackett to return the application as incomplete.
  - Joshua Ellingworth, from Parratt-Wolff, applied for a geotechnical well driller license. A motion was made by Eric Sackett and seconded by Mike Daisey to approve the application.

### **OTHER BUSINESS:**

- **2018 Fall Seminar** – The Board continued discussion on possible topics and guest speakers for the 2018 Fall Seminar, which will be held on December 7, 2018 at the Modern Maturity Center in Dover, Delaware.
- **Violation Updates** –
  - **Weber's Well Drilling, Inc.** – Two of the North Bowers wells were televised on June 12, 2018 for design.
- **Citizen's Concern** –
  - **Smyrna Well Service** – The Board heard testimony from Wesley J. Burris concerning a formal complaint filed against Mr. Burris and his company, Smyrna Well Service. After reviewing the complaint, the Board advised Mr. Burris to pay closer attention to his workmanship and advised Mr. Burris the complaint will reside in his water well contractor file and could be used in the future concerning suspension or revocation of his licenses.

- **Water Well Licensing Board Meeting** – The next board meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, July 10, 2018, at 9:30am, in the DNREC Richards & Robbins Building Conference Room B172.
- **Water Well Licensing Board Exam** – The next licensing exam is scheduled for Thursday, August 23, 2018, at 2:00pm, in the DNREC Richards & Robbins Building Auditorium.

Melvyn Miller made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Eric Sackett and carried with no opposition. The meeting adjourned at 11:27 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Sarah Silves, Licensing Coordinator

Date

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Mike Daisey, Licensing Board Chairman

Date